



Pioneer Valley Performing Arts Charter Public School

Board of Trustee Meeting March 2025

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Date and Time

Tuesday March 11, 2025 at 6:00 PM EDT

Location

[15 Mulligan Drive](#)
[South Hadley, MA 01075](#)

or [zoom link](#)

Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
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I.	Opening Items		6:00 PM
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| A. | Record Attendance | Vanessa Ford | 1 m |
| B. | Call the Meeting to Order | LATRINA DENSON | 1 m |
| C. | Read the Mission Statement | A member of the Board | 1 m |

PVPA offers its students intensive exposure to the performing arts within the context of an excellent college preparatory curriculum.

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| D. | D. Approve Minutes | Approve Minutes
Vanessa Ford | 2 m |
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Please read minutes and prepare concerns or questions prior to the meeting.

Approve minutes for Board of Trustee Meeting February 2025 on February 11, 2025

II.	Public Comments			6:05 PM
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A.	Public Comment			15 m
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III.	Head of School Report			6:20 PM
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A.	General Report and Updates	Discuss	Brent Nielsen	15 m
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B.	School Calendar 2025-2026	Vote		20 m
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IV.	Internal Stakeholders			6:55 PM
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A.	Staff Report	Discuss		5 m
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B.	Student Reports	Discuss		10 m
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V.	President's Business			7:10 PM
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A.	President's Report	Discuss	LATRINA DENSON	5 m
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- Open Meeting Law Training for Charter Schools
- Updating profiles on Board On Track and adding photos
- Mini Retreat Date Options:
 - Saturday, March 15
 - Sunday, March 16
 - Sunday, March 23
 - Sunday, March 29

VI.	Board Committees			7:15 PM
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A.	Finance Committee	Discuss	Sasha Viands	10 m
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B.	Friends of PVPA Liaison Report	Discuss	Kiara Badillo	5 m
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C.	Head of School Evaluation Committee	FYI	LATRINA DENSON	5 m
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Time-line Reminder Update

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
VII. Governance Committee			7:35 PM
A. Recruitment Update	Discuss	Azizah Yasin	10 m
B. Bylaw Revisions	Vote		45 m
VIII. Executive Session			8:30 PM
A. Executive Session		LATRINA DENSON	60 m
Executive session under G.L. c. 30, section 21(a)(2) to conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel or to conduct collective bargaining sessions or contract negotiations with nonunion personnel (Head of School Brent Nielsen).			
IX. Closing Items			9:30 PM
A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote	Vanessa Ford	1 m